

SEC. 3. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines Register and Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 3, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register and Des Moines Leader April 5, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 137.

RELATING TO THE GATE RECEIPTS OF THE STATE PENITENTIARIES.

S. F. 233.

AN ACT to amend section five thousand six hundred and eighty-five (5685) of the code, relative to gate receipts at state penitentiaries.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Gate receipts—how expended. Amend section five thousand six hundred and eighty-five (5685) of the code by striking out all of the section after the word "account" in line four, and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"Of which seventy-five per cent shall be applied for the purchase of books and periodicals for the use of the prison, and twenty-five percent be expended for lectures, concerts, or entertainments for the prisoners, under the direction of the wardens and board of control."

SEC. 2. Same. Ten per cent of the amount derived from same source, on hand at the time of the passage of this act, is hereby appropriated for like purposes, under the same restrictions.

SEC. 3. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect, and be in force, from and after its publication in the Iowa Daily Capital and Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 7, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa Daily Capital April 11, 1900, and in the Des Moines Leader April 13, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 138.

MANUFACTURE OF PEARL BUTTONS AND BUTTER TUBS IN STATE PENITENTIARY.

S. F. 7.

AN ACT to prohibit the manufacture of pearl buttons and butter tubs in the state penitentiary. [Amendatory of chapter 2, title XXVI, of the code, relating to the penitentiaries.]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Manufacture prohibited. It shall not be lawful except to complete existing contracts made by board of control to manufacture for sale any pearl buttons or butter tubs in the penitentiaries of this state, and it shall be the duty of the board of control and wardens of said penitentiaries to enforce the provisions of this act, and to prohibit the manufacture of pearl buttons or butter tubs, in whole or in part, by the inmates confined in said penitentiaries.

SEC. 2. Existing contracts. This act shall not alter or impair the conditions of any contract actually made and entered into by and between any contractor and the board of control, which shall have been made prior to the passage of this act.